

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	Hartmut Boche
Application No. 09/625,792	Filing Date: July 26, 2000
Title of Application:	Medical Instrument With A Non-Contact Readable Data Carrier
Confirmation No. 8313	Art Unit: 3764
Examiner: Fenn C. Mathew	

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
Post Office Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

***Response Transmittal and  
Petition For Time Extension (37 CFR 1.136[A])***

Dear Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of three months to respond to the Office Letter mailed on August 23, 2006.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.
3. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17). \$1020.00 Extension Fee is due with this request.
4. Fee Payment. Attached is a credit card form PTO-2038 in the sum of \$1020.00.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this Application to Account No. 19-4516.

Respectfully submitted,

February 22, 2007

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